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SUNG-WOO, BAE, et al.

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For:

PASSIVE APPARATUS THAT REGULARTES A FLOW OF HEATED AIR WITHIN A

PLASMA DISPLAY DEVICE

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.56, and §§1.97 and 1.98 as amended, Applicant cites, describes, and provides copies of the following art references:

FOREIGN PATENT REFERENCE(S):

Chinese Patent Publication No. CN 1075324C to Morita et al., entitled *PLASMA DISPLAY PANEL*, *METHOD OF FABRICATING THE SAME*, *AND DISPLAY APPARATUS USING THE PLASMA DISPLAY PANEL*, published November 21, 2001. (English Abstract of U.S. Patent No. 5,831,374 is attached)

DISCUSSION

As written in the Office Action on May 20, 2005 in applicant's corresponding Chinese Patent Application No. 03147063.7 corresponding to applicant's above-captioned U.S. Patent Application, Morita et al.' CN 324 discloses that to increase heat dissipation from a plasma display panel, a heat sinking unit 2 bonded to a curved back surface 11 of a panel unit includes a large number of fin blocks 21 arranged spaced apart from eahc other by a prescribed distance and a flexible thin-wall portion 22, and a joinin section 221, which consists of fin anchoring portions 212 and thin-wall portions 22, is capable of being bent between the fin flocks 21, thus allowing the heat sinking unit 2 to conform to the curvature of the panel unit back surface 11. When using a heat sinking unit not structured to conform to the curvature of the panel unit back usrface 11, a high-orientation praphite film as a heat equalizing layer is interposed between the panel unit back usrface and the heat sinking unit.

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Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(d), the undersigned attorney hereby certifies that each item of

information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from

a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign patent application not more than three (3) months

prior to the filing of the statement.

The citation of the foregoing references is not intended to constitute an assertion that other

or more relevant art does not exist. Accordingly, the Examiner is requested to make a wide-ranging

and thorough search of the relevant art.

No fee is incurred by this Statement.

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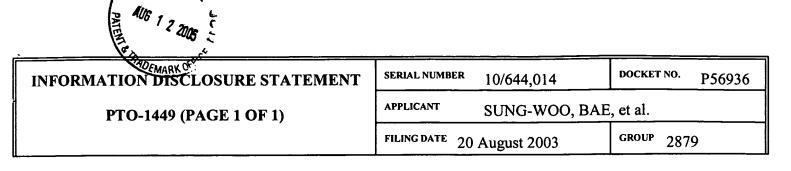
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